

EX PARTE OR LATE FILED

Secretary
M.S. 1170

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20554

11 OCT 1994

IN REPLY REFER TO:

CN9404726

DOCKET FILE COPY ORIGINAL

RECEIVED

OCT 13 1994

The Honorable John C. Danforth
United States Senate
Committee on Commerce, Science,
and Transportation
Washington, DC 20510-6125

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
OFFICE OF SECRETARY

Dear Senator Danforth:

This is in reply to your letter of September 8, 1994, on behalf of your constituent, William H. Gamblin, General Manager of the Jefferson County 911 Dispatch in House Springs, Missouri, and a number of his colleagues. Mr. Gamblin and his colleagues are interested in the implementation of Enhanced 911 (E-911) technology in the Personal Communications Services (PCS) industry.

On September 19, 1994, the Commission adopted a Notice of Proposed Rule Making in CC Docket No. 94-102 regarding access to E-911 emergency services by commercial mobile radio service (including PCS) customers. Among other things, this Notice proposes that:

- 1) PCS customers be able to obtain access to emergency services by dialing 911 without having to dial additional digits;
- 2) PCS customers be able to place 911 calls without meeting any mobile radio service user validation requirements;
- 3) PCS 911 calls be given top priority by the PCS network by being placed at the beginning of any queue of calls awaiting availability of network resources;
- 4) PCS service providers be required to furnish the location of a 911 caller to the public safety answering point; and,
- 5) PCS service providers be required to allow public safety answering points to immediately call back mobile phones from which 911 calls are placed.

The Notice should be published in the Federal Register in the near future. After this happens, there will be a period in which the public may file comments on our proposals, followed by a period for reply comments. After the comment periods close, the Commission will review all public input on its proposals and use this input to help develop final rules on this subject.

No. of Copies rec'd
List ABCDE

2

The Honorable John C. Danforth

2.

We appreciate your constituents' thoughts on this important topic and have added them, along with your letter, to the record in the E-911 proceeding.

Sincerely,



Richard M. Smith
Chief
Office of Engineering and Technology

Richard B. Engelman
Chief, OET/AED/TSB

Julius P. Knapp
Chief, OET/AED

cc (w/incoming): Secretary, for inclusion in CC Docket 94-102



cc: Chief, OET
Julius Knapp
Richard Engelman
Robert Bromery
Art Wall
DWilson:kls:10-05-94

31030/EQU/4-2-0
1300B4

ERNEST F. HOLLINGS, SOUTH CAROLINA, CHAIRMAN

DANIEL K. INOUE, HAWAII
WENDELL H. FORD, KENTUCKY
J. JAMES EXON, NEBRASKA
JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER IV, WEST VIRGINIA
JOHN F. KERRY, MASSACHUSETTS
JOHN B. BREAU, LOUISIANA
RICHARD H. BRYAN, NEVADA
CHARLES S. ROBB, VIRGINIA
BYRON L. DORGAN, NORTH DAKOTA
HARLAN MATHEWS, TENNESSEE

JOHN C. DANFORTH, MISSOURI
BOB PACKWOOD, OREGON
LARRY PRESSLER, SOUTH DAKOTA
TED STEVENS, ALASKA
JOHN MCCAIN, ARIZONA
CONRAD BURNS, MONTANA
SLADE GORTON, WASHINGTON
TRENT LOTT, MISSISSIPPI
KAY BAILEY HUTCHISON, TEXAS

KEVIN G. CURTIN, CHIEF COUNSEL AND STAFF DIRECTOR
JONATHAN CHAMBERS, REPUBLICAN STAFF DIRECTOR

4163
DET
cc-911
4726
United States Senate

COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE, SCIENCE,
AND TRANSPORTATION

WASHINGTON, DC 20510-6125

September 8, 1994

Ms. Judith Harris
Director, Legislative Affairs
Federal Communications Commission
1919 M Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

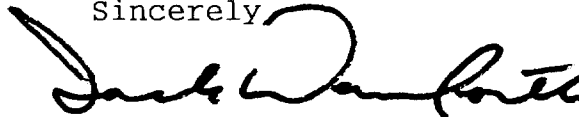
Dear Ms. Harris:

Enclosed is a copy of a letter that was sent to me by Mr. William H. Gamblin, General Manager, Jefferson County 9-1-1 Dispatch, House Springs, Missouri. Mr. Gamblin and his colleagues are concerned that Personal Communications Service (PCS) will create difficulty in responding to emergency calls.

I would appreciate receiving information on this matter at your earliest convenience.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely



John C. Danforth

Enclosure



JEFFERSON COUNTY 9-1-1 DISPATCH

5475 Buckeye Valley Rd.
House Springs, MO 63051

Phone: 314-942-5911

Fax: 314-942-3605

GENERAL MANAGER

William H. Gamblin

July 6, 1994

Dear Senator Danforth:

I am writing to you to ask your support to provide a wireless service, Personal Communication Service (PCS), that will ensure the safety of the users of that service. I am one of your constituents and I work in the field of Public Safety as a General Manager of a Dispatch Center. Personal Communication Service is about to become a reality and we in Public Safety have a great concern for its ability to protect its user.

Let me set the scene for you:

ENHANCED 9-1-1 SERVICE

You are at home, an emergency arises, you simply dial 9-1-1. Your call is answered by a call taker at your emergency center. Along with that call comes vital information; i.e. name, address, city, zip, telephone number, date, time of day and the public safety agencies (fire, police & EMS) that cover your address. Response is quick. Dispatch is almost immediate and your loved one is treated.

PCS WIRELESS SERVICE

You take your small telephone unit with you and go for a walk in the park. While a mile or so away, you become violently ill. You take out your small telephone and dial 9-1-1. the call taker in your emergency center answers but has no idea where you are. If you are unable to speak - well you can see the obvious consequences.

I hasten to add that cellular service, as we know it today, in almost all cases provides neither the calling number nor the location of the caller.

This is a national issue. Within one to three years this service will begin to seriously affect wired telephone service. People will remove their residence lines to reduce cost and use wireless and pay air time.

I want you, as my representative, to have the F.C.C. take the necessary steps to mandate exact physical location of a caller that uses wireless service, and to provide the same life saving capabilities as enhanced 9-1-1 service now provides to our residential and business customers.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

William H. Gamblin

CHAIRMAN
Ed Kemp

VICE-CHAIRMAN
Joe Wingbermuehle

SECRETARY
Susan Reissing

TREASURER
Dan Vallee

BOARD MEMBERS

Robert Ottomeyer

4-250-60-2011



JEFFERSON COUNTY 9-1-1 DISPATCH

5475 Buckeye Valley Rd.
House Springs, MO 63051

Phone: 314-942-5911
Fax: 314-942-3605

GENERAL MANAGER
William H. Gamblin

July 6, 1994

Dear Senator Danforth:

We are writing to you to ask your support to provide a wireless service, Personal Communication Service (PCS), that will ensure the safety of the users of that service. We are one of your constituents and we work in the field of Public Safety as a Board of Directors of a Dispatch Center. Personal Communication Service is about to become a reality and we in Public Safety have a great concern for its ability to protect its user.

Let me set the scene for you:

ENHANCED 9-1-1 SERVICE

You are at home, an emergency arises, you simply dial 9-1-1. Your call is answered by a call taker at your emergency center. Along with that call comes vital information; i.e. name, address, city, zip, telephone number, date, time of day and the public safety agencies (fire, police & EMS) that cover your address. Response is quick. Dispatch is almost immediate and your loved one is treated.

PCS WIRELESS SERVICE

You take your small telephone unit with you and go for a walk in the park. While a mile or so away, you become violently ill. You take out your small telephone and dial 9-1-1. the call taker in your emergency center answers but has no idea where you are. If you are unable to speak - well you can see the obvious consequences.

We hasten to add that cellular service, as we know it today, in almost all cases provides neither the calling number nor the location of the caller.

This is a national issue. Within one to three years this service will begin to seriously affect wired telephone service. People will remove their residence lines to reduce cost and use wireless and pay air time.

We want you, as my representative, to have the F.C.C. take the necessary steps to mandate exact physical location of a caller that uses wireless service, and to provide the same life saving capabilities as enhanced 9-1-1 service now provides to our residential and business customers.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Jefferson County 911 Board

CHAIRMAN
Ed Kemp

VICE-CHAIRMAN
Joe Wingbermuehle

SECRETARY
Susan Reissing

TREASURER
Dan Vallee

BOARD MEMBERS

Robert Ottomauer



JEFFERSON COUNTY 9-1-1 DISPATCH

5475 Buckeye Valley Rd.
House Springs, MO 63051

Phone: 314-942-5911

Fax: 314-942-3605

GENERAL MANAGER

William H. Gamblin

July 6, 1994

Dear Senator Danforth:

I am writing to you to ask your support to provide a wireless service, Personal Communication Service (PCS), that will ensure the safety of the users of that service. I am one of your constituents and I work in the field of Public Safety as a Addressing Manager of a Dispath Center. Personal Communication Service is about to become a reality and we in Public Safety have a great concern for its ability to protect its user.

Let me set the scene for you:

ENHANCED 9-1-1 SERVICE

You are at home, an emergency arises, you simply dial 9-1-1. Your call is answered by a call taker at your emergency center. Along with that call comes vital information; i.e. name, address, city, zip, telephone number, date, time of day and the public safety agencies (fire, police & EMS) that cover your address. Response is quick. Dispatch is almost immediate and your loved one is treated.

PCS WIRELESS SERVICE

You take your small telephone unit with you and go for a walk in the park. While a mile or so away, you become violently ill. You take out your small telephone and dial 9-1-1. the call taker in your emergency center answers but has no idea where you are. If you are unable to speak - well you can see the obvious consequences.

I hasten to add that cellular service, as we know it today, in almost all cases provides neither the calling number nor the location of the caller.

This is a national issue. Within one to three years this service will begin to seriously affect wired telephone service. People will remove their residence lines to reduce cost and use wireless and pay air time.

I want you, as my representative, to have the F.C.C. take the necessary steps to mandate exact physical location of a caller that uses wireless service, and to provide the same life saving capabilities as enhanced 9-1-1 service now provides to our residential and business customers.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

CHAIRMAN
Ed Kemp

VICE-CHAIRMAN
Joe Wingbermuehle

SECRETARY
Susan Reissing

TREASURER
Dan Vallee

BOARD MEMBERS

Robert Ottomayer



JEFFERSON COUNTY 9-1-1 DISPATCH

5475 Buckeye Valley Rd.
House Springs, MO 63051

Phone: 314-942-5911
Fax: 314-942-3605

GENERAL MANAGER
William H. Gamblin

July 6, 1994

Dear Senator Danforth:

I am writing to you to ask your support to provide a wireless service, Personal Communication Service (PCS), that will ensure the safety of the users of that service. I am one of your constituents and I work in the field of Public Safety as a Office Manager of a Dispath Center. Personal Communication Service is about to become a reality and we in Public Safety have a great concern for its ability to protect its user.

Let me set the scene for you:

ENHANCED 9-1-1 SERVICE

You are at home, an emergency arises, you simply dial 9-1-1. Your call is answered by a call taker at your emergency center. Along with that call comes vital information; i.e. name, address, city, zip, telephone number, date, time of day and the public safety agencies (fire, police & EMS) that cover your address. Response is quick. Dispatch is almost immediate and your loved one is treated.

PCS WIRELESS SERVICE

You take your small telephone unit with you and go for a walk in the park. While a mile or so away, you become violently ill. You take out your small telephone and dial 9-1-1. the call taker in your emergency center answers but has no idea where you are. If you are unable to speak - well you can see the obvious consequences.

I hasten to add that cellular service, as we know it today, in almost all cases provides neither the calling number nor the location of the caller.

This is a national issue. Within one to three years this service will begin to seriously affect wired telephone service. People will remove their residence lines to reduce cost and use wireless and pay air time.

I want you, as my representative, to have the F.C.C. take the necessary steps to mandate exact physical location of a caller that uses wireless service, and to provide the same life saving capabilities as enhanced 9-1-1 service now provides to our residential and business customers.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Penny Prindiville".

CHAIRMAN
Ed Kemp

VICE-CHAIRMAN
Joe Wingermuehle

SECRETARY
Susan Reissing

TREASURER
Dan Vallee

BOARD MEMBERS

Robert Ottomeyer



JEFFERSON COUNTY 9-1-1 DISPATCH

5475 Buckeye Valley Rd.
House Springs, MO 63051

Phone: 314-942-5911
Fax: 314-942-3605

GENERAL MANAGER
William H. Gamblin

July 6, 1994

Dear Senator Danforth:

I am writing to you to ask your support to provide a wireless service, Personal Communication Service (PCS), that will ensure the safety of the users of that service. I am one of your constituents and I work in the field of Public Safety as a telecommunicator. Personal Communication Service is about to become a reality and we in Public Safety have a great concern for its ability to protect its user.

Let me set the scene for you:

ENHANCED 9-1-1 SERVICE

You are at home, an emergency arises, you simply dial 9-1-1. Your call is answered by a call taker at your emergency center. Along with that call comes vital information; i.e. name, address, city, zip, telephone number, date, time of day and the public safety agencies (fire, police & EMS) that cover your address. Response is quick. Dispatch is almost immediate and your loved one is treated.

PCS WIRELESS SERVICE

You take your small telephone unit with you and go for a walk in the park. While a mile or so away, you become violently ill. You take out your small telephone and dial 9-1-1. the call taker in your emergency center answers but has no idea where you are. If you are unable to speak - well you can see the obvious consequences.

I hasten to add that cellular service, as we know it today, in almost all cases provides neither the calling number nor the location of the caller.

This is a national issue. Within one to three years this service will begin to seriously affect wired telephone service. People will remove their residence lines to reduce cost and use wireless and pay air time.

I want you, as my representative, to have the F.C.C. take the necessary steps to mandate exact physical location of a caller that uses wireless service, and to provide the same life saving capabilities as enhanced 9-1-1 service now provides to our residential and business customers.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

CHAIRMAN
Ed Kemp

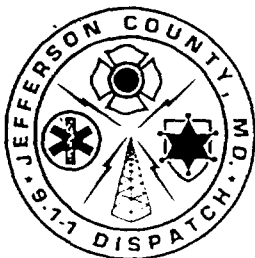
VICE-CHAIRMAN
Joe Wingermuehle

SECRETARY
Susan Reissing

TREASURER
Dan Vallee

BOARD MEMBERS

Robert Ottomeyer



JEFFERSON COUNTY 9-1-1 DISPATCH

5475 Buckeye Valley Rd.
House Springs, MO 63051

Phone: 314-942-5911
Fax: 314-942-3605

GENERAL MANAGER
William H. Gamblin

July 6, 1994

Dear Senator Danforth:

I am writing to you to ask your support to provide a wireless service, Personal Communication Service (PCS), that will ensure the safety of the users of that service. I am one of your constituents and I work in the field of Public Safety as a telecommunicator. Personal Communication Service is about to become a reality and we in Public Safety have a great concern for its ability to protect its user.

Let me set the scene for you:

ENHANCED 9-1-1 SERVICE

You are at home, an emergency arises, you simply dial 9-1-1. Your call is answered by a call taker at your emergency center. Along with that call comes vital information; i.e. name, address, city, zip, telephone number, date, time of day and the public safety agencies (fire, police & EMS) that cover your address. Response is quick. Dispatch is almost immediate and your loved one is treated.

PCS WIRELESS SERVICE

You take your small telephone unit with you and go for a walk in the park. While a mile or so away, you become violently ill. You take out your small telephone and dial 9-1-1. the call taker in your emergency center answers but has no idea where you are. If you are unable to speak - well you can see the obvious consequences.

I hasten to add that cellular service, as we know it today, in almost all cases provides neither the calling number nor the location of the caller.

This is a national issue. Within one to three years this service will begin to seriously affect wired telephone service. People will remove their residence lines to reduce cost and use wireless and pay air time.

I want you, as my representative, to have the F.C.C. take the necessary steps to mandate exact physical location of a caller that uses wireless service, and to provide the same life saving capabilities as enhanced 9-1-1 service now provides to our residential and business customers.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Suzanne M. Huffman

CHAIRMAN
Ed Kemp

VICE-CHAIRMAN
Joe Wingermuehle

SECRETARY
Susan Reissing

TREASURER
Dan Vallee

BOARD MEMBERS

Robert Ottomeyer



JEFFERSON COUNTY 9-1-1 DISPATCH

5475 Buckeye Valley Rd.
House Springs, MO 63051

Phone: 314-942-5911
Fax: 314-942-3605

GENERAL MANAGER
William H. Gamblin

July 6, 1994

Dear Senator Danforth:

I am writing to you to ask your support to provide a wireless service, Personal Communication Service (PCS), that will ensure the safety of the users of that service. I am one of your constituents and I work in the field of Public Safety as a telecommunicator. Personal Communication Service is about to become a reality and we in Public Safety have a great concern for its ability to protect its user.

Let me set the scene for you:

ENHANCED 9-1-1 SERVICE

You are at home, an emergency arises, you simply dial 9-1-1. Your call is answered by a call taker at your emergency center. Along with that call comes vital information; i.e. name, address, city, zip, telephone number, date, time of day and the public safety agencies (fire, police & EMS) that cover your address. Response is quick. Dispatch is almost immediate and your loved one is treated.

PCS WIRELESS SERVICE

You take your small telephone unit with you and go for a walk in the park. While a mile or so away, you become violently ill. You take out your small telephone and dial 9-1-1. the call taker in your emergency center answers but has no idea where you are. If you are unable to speak - well you can see the obvious consequences.

I hasten to add that cellular service, as we know it today, in almost all cases provides neither the calling number nor the location of the caller.

This is a national issue. Within one to three years this service will begin to seriously affect wired telephone service. People will remove their residence lines to reduce cost and use wireless and pay air time.

I want you, as my representative, to have the F.C.C. take the necessary steps to mandate exact physical location of a caller that uses wireless service, and to provide the same life saving capabilities as enhanced 9-1-1 service now provides to our residential and business customers.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Michael S. Rasmussen".

CHAIRMAN
Ed Kemp

VICE-CHAIRMAN
Joe Wingermuehle

SECRETARY
Susan Reissing

TREASURER
Dan Vallee

BOARD MEMBERS

Robert Ottomeyer



JEFFERSON COUNTY 9-1-1 DISPATCH

5475 Buckeye Valley Rd.
House Springs, MO 63051

Phone: 314-942-5911

Fax: 314-942-3605

GENERAL MANAGER

William H. Gamblin

July 6, 1994

Dear Senator Danforth:

I am writing to you to ask your support to provide a wireless service, Personal Communication Service (PCS), that will ensure the safety of the users of that service. I am one of your constituents and I work in the field of Public Safety as a telecommunicator. Personal Communication Service is about to become a reality and we in Public Safety have a great concern for its ability to protect its user.

Let me set the scene for you:

ENHANCED 9-1-1 SERVICE

You are at home, an emergency arises, you simply dial 9-1-1. Your call is answered by a call taker at your emergency center. Along with that call comes vital information; i.e. name, address, city, zip, telephone number, date, time of day and the public safety agencies (fire, police & EMS) that cover your address. Response is quick. Dispatch is almost immediate and your loved one is treated.

PCS WIRELESS SERVICE

You take your small telephone unit with you and go for a walk in the park. While a mile or so away, you become violently ill. You take out your small telephone and dial 9-1-1. the call taker in your emergency center answers but has no idea where you are. If you are unable to speak - well you can see the obvious consequences.

I hasten to add that cellular service, as we know it today, in almost all cases provides neither the calling number nor the location of the caller.

This is a national issue. Within one to three years this service will begin to seriously affect wired telephone service. People will remove their residence lines to reduce cost and use wireless and pay air time.

I want you, as my representative, to have the F.C.C. take the necessary steps to mandate exact physical location of a caller that uses wireless service, and to provide the same life saving capabilities as enhanced 9-1-1 service now provides to our residential and business customers.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Quentin A. Wagner

CHAIRMAN
Ed Kemp

VICE-CHAIRMAN
Joe Wingbermuehle

SECRETARY
Susan Reissing

TREASURER
Dan Vallee

BOARD MEMBERS

Robert Ottomeyer



JEFFERSON COUNTY 9-1-1 DISPATCH

5475 Buckeye Valley Rd.
House Springs, MO 63051

Phone: 314-942-5911
Fax: 314-942-3605

GENERAL MANAGER
William H. Gamblin

July 6, 1994

Dear Senator Danforth:

I am writing to you to ask your support to provide a wireless service, Personal Communication Service (PCS), that will ensure the safety of the users of that service. I am one of your constituents and I work in the field of Public Safety as a telecommunicator. Personal Communication Service is about to become a reality and we in Public Safety have a great concern for its ability to protect its user.

Let me set the scene for you:

ENHANCED 9-1-1 SERVICE

You are at home, an emergency arises, you simply dial 9-1-1. Your call is answered by a call taker at your emergency center. Along with that call comes vital information; i.e. name, address, city, zip, telephone number, date, time of day and the public safety agencies (fire, police & EMS) that cover your address. Response is quick. Dispatch is almost immediate and your loved one is treated.

PCS WIRELESS SERVICE

You take your small telephone unit with you and go for a walk in the park. While a mile or so away, you become violently ill. You take out your small telephone and dial 9-1-1. the call taker in your emergency center answers but has no idea where you are. If you are unable to speak - well you can see the obvious consequences.

I hasten to add that cellular service, as we know it today, in almost all cases provides neither the calling number nor the location of the caller.

This is a national issue. Within one to three years this service will begin to seriously affect wired telephone service. People will remove their residence lines to reduce cost and use wireless and pay air time.

I want you, as my representative, to have the F.C.C. take the necessary steps to mandate exact physical location of a caller that uses wireless service, and to provide the same life saving capabilities as enhanced 9-1-1 service now provides to our residential and business customers.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Mary Faust".

CHAIRMAN
Ed Kemp

VICE-CHAIRMAN
Joe Wingbermuehle

SECRETARY
Susan Reissing

TREASURER
Dan Vallee

BOARD MEMBERS

Robert Ottomeyer



JEFFERSON COUNTY 9-1-1 DISPATCH

5475 Buckeye Valley Rd.
House Springs, MO 63051

Phone: 314-942-5911
Fax: 314-942-3605

GENERAL MANAGER
William H. Gamblin

July 6, 1994

Dear Senator Danforth:

I am writing to you to ask your support to provide a wireless service, Personal Communication Service (PCS), that will ensure the safety of the users of that service. I am one of your constituents and I work in the field of Public Safety as a telecommunicator. Personal Communication Service is about to become a reality and we in Public Safety have a great concern for its ability to protect its user.

Let me set the scene for you:

ENHANCED 9-1-1 SERVICE

You are at home, an emergency arises, you simply dial 9-1-1. Your call is answered by a call taker at your emergency center. Along with that call comes vital information; i.e. name, address, city, zip, telephone number, date, time of day and the public safety agencies (fire, police & EMS) that cover your address. Response is quick. Dispatch is almost immediate and your loved one is treated.

PCS WIRELESS SERVICE

You take your small telephone unit with you and go for a walk in the park. While a mile or so away, you become violently ill. You take out your small telephone and dial 9-1-1. the call taker in your emergency center answers but has no idea where you are. If you are unable to speak - well you can see the obvious consequences.

I hasten to add that cellular service, as we know it today, in almost all cases provides neither the calling number nor the location of the caller.

This is a national issue. Within one to three years this service will begin to seriously affect wired telephone service. People will remove their residence lines to reduce cost and use wireless and pay air time.

I want you, as my representative, to have the F.C.C. take the necessary steps to mandate exact physical location of a caller that uses wireless service, and to provide the same life saving capabilities as enhanced 9-1-1 service now provides to our residential and business customers.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Debbie Muffett".

CHAIRMAN
Ed Kemp

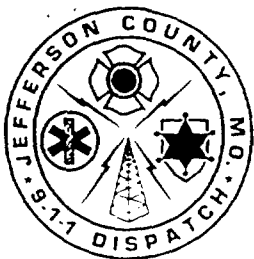
VICE-CHAIRMAN
Joe Wingbermuehle

SECRETARY
Susan Reissing

TREASURER
Dan Vallee

BOARD MEMBERS

Robert Ottomeyer



JEFFERSON COUNTY 9-1-1 DISPATCH

5475 Buckeye Valley Rd.
House Springs, MO 63051

Phone: 314-942-5911

Fax: 314-942-3605

GENERAL MANAGER

William H. Gamblin

July 6, 1994

Dear Senator Danforth:

I am writing to you to ask your support to provide a wireless service, Personal Communication Service (PCS), that will ensure the safety of the users of that service. I am one of your constituents and I work in the field of Public Safety as a telecommunicator. Personal Communication Service is about to become a reality and we in Public Safety have a great concern for its ability to protect its user.

Let me set the scene for you:

ENHANCED 9-1-1 SERVICE

You are at home, an emergency arises, you simply dial 9-1-1. Your call is answered by a call taker at your emergency center. Along with that call comes vital information; i.e. name, address, city, zip, telephone number, date, time of day and the public safety agencies (fire, police & EMS) that cover your address. Response is quick. Dispatch is almost immediate and your loved one is treated.

PCS WIRELESS SERVICE

You take your small telephone unit with you and go for a walk in the park. While a mile or so away, you become violently ill. You take out your small telephone and dial 9-1-1. the call taker in your emergency center answers but has no idea where you are. If you are unable to speak - well you can see the obvious consequences.

I hasten to add that cellular service, as we know it today, in almost all cases provides neither the calling number nor the location of the caller.

This is a national issue. Within one to three years this service will begin to seriously affect wired telephone service. People will remove their residence lines to reduce cost and use wireless and pay air time.

I want you, as my representative, to have the F.C.C. take the necessary steps to mandate exact physical location of a caller that uses wireless service, and to provide the same life saving capabilities as enhanced 9-1-1 service now provides to our residential and business customers.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

CHAIRMAN
Ed Kemp

VICE-CHAIRMAN
Joe Wingbermuehle

SECRETARY
Susan Reissing

TREASURER
Dan Vallee

BOARD MEMBERS

Robert Ottomeyer



JEFFERSON COUNTY 9-1-1 DISPATCH

5475 Buckeye Valley Rd.
House Springs, MO 63051

Phone: 314-942-5911
Fax: 314-942-3605

GENERAL MANAGER
William H. Gamblin

July 6, 1994

Dear Senator Danforth:

I am writing to you to ask your support to provide a wireless service, Personal Communication Service (PCS), that will ensure the safety of the users of that service. I am one of your constituents and I work in the field of Public Safety as a telecommunicator. Personal Communication Service is about to become a reality and we in Public Safety have a great concern for its ability to protect its user.

Let me set the scene for you:

ENHANCED 9-1-1 SERVICE

You are at home, an emergency arises, you simply dial 9-1-1. Your call is answered by a call taker at your emergency center. Along with that call comes vital information; i.e. name, address, city, zip, telephone number, date, time of day and the public safety agencies (fire, police & EMS) that cover your address. Response is quick. Dispatch is almost immediate and your loved one is treated.

PCS WIRELESS SERVICE

You take your small telephone unit with you and go for a walk in the park. While a mile or so away, you become violently ill. You take out your small telephone and dial 9-1-1. the call taker in your emergency center answers but has no idea where you are. If you are unable to speak - well you can see the obvious consequences.

I hasten to add that cellular service, as we know it today, in almost all cases provides neither the calling number nor the location of the caller.

This is a national issue. Within one to three years this service will begin to seriously affect wired telephone service. People will remove their residence lines to reduce cost and use wireless and pay air time.

I want you, as my representative, to have the F.C.C. take the necessary steps to mandate exact physical location of a caller that uses wireless service, and to provide the same life saving capabilities as enhanced 9-1-1 service now provides to our residential and business customers.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

CHAIRMAN
Ed Kemp

VICE-CHAIRMAN
Joe Wingermuehle

SECRETARY
Susan Reissing

TREASURER
Dan Vallee

BOARD MEMBERS

Robert Ottomeyer



JEFFERSON COUNTY 9-1-1 DISPATCH

5475 Buckeye Valley Rd.
House Springs, MO 63051

Phone: 314-942-5911
Fax: 314-942-3605

GENERAL MANAGER
William H. Gamblin

July 6, 1994

Dear Senator Danforth:

I am writing to you to ask your support to provide a wireless service, Personal Communication Service (PCS), that will ensure the safety of the users of that service. I am one of your constituents and I work in the field of Public Safety as a telecommunicator. Personal Communication Service is about to become a reality and we in Public Safety have a great concern for its ability to protect its user.

Let me set the scene for you:

ENHANCED 9-1-1 SERVICE

You are at home, an emergency arises, you simply dial 9-1-1. Your call is answered by a call taker at your emergency center. Along with that call comes vital information; i.e. name, address, city, zip, telephone number, date, time of day and the public safety agencies (fire, police & EMS) that cover your address. Response is quick. Dispatch is almost immediate and your loved one is treated.

PCS WIRELESS SERVICE

You take your small telephone unit with you and go for a walk in the park. While a mile or so away, you become violently ill. You take out your small telephone and dial 9-1-1. the call taker in your emergency center answers but has no idea where you are. If you are unable to speak - well you can see the obvious consequences.

I hasten to add that cellular service, as we know it today, in almost all cases provides neither the calling number nor the location of the caller.

This is a national issue. Within one to three years this service will begin to seriously affect wired telephone service. People will remove their residence lines to reduce cost and use wireless and pay air time.

I want you, as my representative, to have the F.C.C. take the necessary steps to mandate exact physical location of a caller that uses wireless service, and to provide the same life saving capabilities as enhanced 9-1-1 service now provides to our residential and business customers.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "William H. Gamblin".

CHAIRMAN
Ed Kemp

VICE-CHAIRMAN
Joe Wingbermuehle

SECRETARY
Susan Reissing

TREASURER
Dan Vallee

BOARD MEMBERS

Robert Ottomeyer



JEFFERSON COUNTY 9-1-1 DISPATCH

5475 Buckeye Valley Rd.
House Springs, MO 63051

Phone: 314-942-5911

Fax: 314-942-3605

GENERAL MANAGER

William H. Gamblin

July 6, 1994

Dear Senator Danforth:

I am writing to you to ask your support to provide a wireless service, Personal Communication Service (PCS), that will ensure the safety of the users of that service. I am one of your constituents and I work in the field of Public Safety as a telecommunicator. Personal Communication Service is about to become a reality and we in Public Safety have a great concern for its ability to protect its user.

Let me set the scene for you:

ENHANCED 9-1-1 SERVICE

You are at home, an emergency arises, you simply dial 9-1-1. Your call is answered by a call taker at your emergency center. Along with that call comes vital information; i.e. name, address, city, zip, telephone number, date, time of day and the public safety agencies (fire, police & EMS) that cover your address. Response is quick. Dispatch is almost immediate and your loved one is treated.

PCS WIRELESS SERVICE

You take your small telephone unit with you and go for a walk in the park. While a mile or so away, you become violently ill. You take out your small telephone and dial 9-1-1. the call taker in your emergency center answers but has no idea where you are. If you are unable to speak - well you can see the obvious consequences.

I hasten to add that cellular service, as we know it today, in almost all cases provides neither the calling number nor the location of the caller.

This is a national issue. Within one to three years this service will begin to seriously affect wired telephone service. People will remove their residence lines to reduce cost and use wireless and pay air time.

I want you, as my representative, to have the F.C.C. take the necessary steps to mandate exact physical location of a caller that uses wireless service, and to provide the same life saving capabilities as enhanced 9-1-1 service now provides to our residential and business customers.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

James E. White

CHAIRMAN
Ed Kemp

VICE-CHAIRMAN
Joe Wingermuehle

SECRETARY
Susan Reissing

TREASURER
Dan Vallee

BOARD MEMBERS

Robert Ottomeyer